

REMARKS

Claims 1-23 were rejected under 35 USC 102 based on Sugiarto et al., and under 35 USC 103 based on Sugiarto et al. and Risberg et al. Applicants have canceled claims 1-18 and 20-23, and entered new claims 24-32. Applicants respectfully traverse the rejection of Sugiarto et al. and Risberg et al. as applied to new claims 24-32, based on the following.

New claim 24 recites three separate documents that are required to form a web page, a form document, a configuration document and a data document:

“generating a form document which indicates locations of data entries within said web page;

generating a configuration document which indicates which of said data entries should be displayed on said web page, wherein there are more data entries indicated by said form document than indicated by said configuration document to be displayed on said web page;

generating a data document which indicates said data entries”.

Neither Sugiarto et al. nor Risberg et al. discloses the configuration document which indicates which of said data entries should be displayed on said web page, wherein there are more data entries indicated by said form document than indicated by said configuration document to be displayed on said web page. In fact, Sugiarto et al. disclose a much different technique for forming a web page. This technique of Sugiarto et al. involves cutting and pasting from other web pages as described in Column 5 line 56 to Column 6 line 41 to form a new web page:

“If each of elements 1,2 ...n is selected, the actual picture of these elements is depicted in target screen 570. Additionally, in order to remove an element from target screen 570, a user may select one of the delete buttons 510 associated with that element. Thus, in this manner, a user may select various portions of one or more web sites in be included in the target screen 570. ... Finally, a user may save an edited configuration file by selecting save button 525.”

Sugiarto et al. do not disclose the details of their resultant configuration file, but there is nothing to suggest that the configuration file of Sugiarto et al. is similar to the configuration document of claim 24 which indicates which of said data entries should be displayed on said web page, wherein there are more data entries indicated by said form document than indicated by said configuration document to be displayed on said web page. In fact, Sugiarto et al. imply a configuration file which matches directly with the final web page, without any extra data entries.

Risberg et al. disclose another system for generating a custom web page using various program tools. See Column 2 line 56 to Column 4 line 30. However, Risberg et al. do not disclose the details of their resultant configuration file, and there is nothing to suggest that the configuration file of Risberg et al. is similar to the configuration document of claim 24 which indicates which of said data entries should be displayed on said web page, wherein there are more data entries indicated by said form document than indicated by said configuration document to be displayed on said web page. In fact, Risberg et al. imply a configuration file which matches directly with the final web page, without any extra data entries.

New claim 24 also recites the subsequent steps of:

“changing said configuration document, without changing said form document or said data document, to change which of said data entries should be displayed on said web page, and upon request by a user via a web browser to display a web page based on said form document, said data document and said changed configuration document, configuring said form document in accordance with said changed configuration document and entering said data entries from said data document into the respective indicated locations in the form document configured based on said changed configuration document to generate a web page based on said changed configuration document, and displaying said web page based on said changed configuration document.”

Neither Sugiarto et al. nor Risberg et al. disclose this simplified technique for changing the web page by selectively changing the configuration document but not the form document or data document.

New claim 26 recites the steps of:

“upon request by a user via a web browser to display the first said web page based on said form document, said data document and said first configuration document, configuring said form document in accordance with said first configuration document and entering said data entries from said data document into the respective indicated locations in the configured form document to generate said first web page, said first web page including said data entries indicated by said first configuration document for display on said first web page, said first web page not including data entries indicated by said form document but not indicated by said first configuration document for display on said first web page, and displaying said first web page.”

Neither Sugiarto et al. nor Risberg et al. disclose this simplified technique for switching back and forth between web pages by selecting different configuration documents without changing the form document or data document.

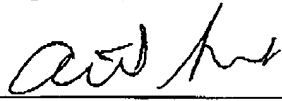
New claim 27 distinguishes over Sugiarto et al. and Risberg et al. for the same reasons that new claim 24 distinguishes thereover. New claims 28 and 29 depend on new claim 27.

New claim 30 distinguishes over Sugiarto et al. and Risberg et al. for the same reasons that new claim 24 distinguishes thereover. New claims 31 and 32 depend on new claim 30.

Based on the foregoing, Applicants request allowance of the present patent application, as amended above.

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